

Proposed Agenda
SJR 331
Study of Virginia's Adoption Laws and Policies
<http://dls.state.va.us/adoption.htm>

Tuesday, May 24, 2005, 2:00 PM
Senate Room A
General Assembly Building

- I. Election of Chair and Vice-Chair**
- II. Chair's opening remarks**
- III. Overview of adoption laws and review of recent studies and legislative trends**
Staff, Virginia Division of Legislative Services
- IV. Child and Family Services Review**
*Vickie Johnson- Scott, Director, Division of Family Services,
Virginia Department of Social Services*
- V. Adoption agencies' presentations**
 - *Linda Cullen, Program Director, Catholic Charities Diocese of Arlington
Children's Services*
 - *Kevin Broderick, LDS Family Services*
 - *Rebecca Ricardo, Coordinators2inc.*
- VI. Legal process**
Rodney Poole, Esq., American Academy of Adoption Attorneys
- VII. Public comments**
- VIII. Member discussion of work plan**
- IX. Other business**
Dates for future meetings
*Next meeting scheduled for June 22, 10 am (GAB)
- X. Adjourn**

Members:

Senator Jay O'Brien
Delegate Robert H. Brink
Delegate Benjamin L. Cline
Delegate Robert Hurt
Delegate Michele B. McQuigg

Senator Frederick M. Quayle
Mr. Frederick P. Helm
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